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First Ward.....O. B. Davis  
Second Ward.....D. S. Cantrell  
Second Ward.....L. F. Livingston  
President Board, L. F. Livingston  
Clerk.....J. W. Brazel  
Treasurer.....M. E. Gorman  
Attorney.....N. J. Craig  
Street Commissioner, Roe Strong  
Collector.....C. L. Turner  
Health Officer.....Dr. J. A. Fuson  
Board of Health.....J. E. Craig  
Dr. J. A. Fuson, L. F. Livingston  
Council meets the second Monday evening of every month.

### RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

**FRISCO**  
East Bound.  
No. 101—Passenger 9:55 p.m.  
No. 241—Local freight 11:00 a.m.  
No. 103—Passenger 9:58 a.m.  
West Bound.  
No. 102—Passenger 5:10 a.m.  
No. 240—Local freight 11:00 a.m.  
No. 104—Passenger 6:35 p.m.  
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**OZARK SOUTHERN**  
Leave Mansfield.....9:45 a.m.  
(After arrival of Frisco train 103)  
Arrive Ava.....11:30 a.m.  
Leave Ava.....11:30 a.m.  
Arrive Mansfield.....5:00 p.m.  
Leave Mansfield.....10:00 p.m.  
Leave Ava.....8:30 p.m.  
FRED GROVER, Agent

**BAPTIST CHURCH.**  
Sunday school every Sunday at 9:45 a.m. W. L. Matthews, Supt.  
Preaching 1st and 3rd Sundays.  
Rev. W. G. Burdard, Pastor.

**CUMBERLAND PRESBY-  
TERIAN CHURCH.**  
Preaching every 2nd Sunday.  
Rev. A. S. Humphrey, Pastor.  
Sunday school every Sunday at 9:45 a.m. G. W. Freeman, Supt.

**METHODIST CHURCH.**  
Preaching services 3d and 4th Sunday morning and evening.  
Rev. C. E. Little, Pastor.  
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**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Bible school at 9:45 a.m. every Sunday.  
D. H. Kay, Superintendent.  
Preaching every second Sunday.  
Rev. Oscar Wright, Pastor.

**Mansfield Chamber of  
Commerce**  
Meets every 1st Thursday night in each month. Board of Governors meet 3rd Thu. night. Odd Fellows Hall.  
L. A. Johnson, President.  
Oliver B. Davis, Secretary.

## Political Announcements

**FOR CIRCUIT CLERK**  
We are authorized to announce  
M. C. CODY  
of Hart township, Mansfield, Route 1, as a candidate for the office of Circuit Clerk of Wright County, subject to the action of the Republican voters at the primary election, August, 1st 1922.

We are authorized to announce  
JACK BANE  
of Hart township, as a candidate for the office of Circuit Clerk of Wright County, subject to the action of the Republican voters at the primary election, August, 1st 1922.

**FOR RECORDER OF DEEDS**  
We are authorized to announce  
ARTHUR WILLIAMS  
of Gasconade township, Hartville, Route 3, as a candidate for the office of Recorder of Deeds of Wright County, subject to the action of the Republican voters at the primary election, August, 1st 1922.

We are authorized to announce  
HERBERT C. SHELTON  
of Gasconade township, as a candidate for the office of Recorder of Deeds of Wright County, subject to the action of the Republican voters at the primary election, August, 1st 1922.

**FOR COUNTY CLERK**  
We are authorized to announce  
JOHN N. PRYOR JR.  
of Pleasant Valley township, Mansfield, as a candidate for the office of County Clerk of Wright County, subject to the action of the Republican voters at the primary election, August, 1st 1922.

## NO MORE GRAY HAIR



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**Editor Commends  
Secretary Becker**  
SAYS SECRETARY OF STATE  
BECKER SAVED TAXPAYERS  
SIXTY THOUSAND DOLLARS  
IN ONE PURCHASE OF AUTO  
MOBILE TAGS.

Editor Burch of the DeKalb County Sun published at Maysville, Mo. recently visited Jefferson City and upon his return home the following article regarding his trip through the department of Secretary of State, Chas. U. Becker:

"Few people have any idea of the great volume of detail work that is handled in Secretary of State Becker's office in Jefferson City."  
"The biggest single department is the automobile department wherein is handled the records of the 400,000 cars that are in operation in this state. When you see the figures of this many cars it does not mean a great deal to the average person. Yet consider that it takes nine carloads of license tags, all of which must pass through the Secretary of State's office in about two months time and you can begin to grasp the magnitude of the task in recording and listing Missouri's cars. In addition to the license to be handled there is the fee, the fee receipt, the certificate of ownership and the registration receipt, all of which must also be handled, examined and mailed."

"This work is handled swiftly and accurately by twenty assistants. Their work is expedited by the use of two machines one of which will open several thousand letters in an hour, for as high as nine thousand letters have been received in one day. The other

machine automatically stamps and seals envelopes. This machine will "tick" about \$2.00 worth of stamps an hour and seal a corresponding number of envelopes. Further idea of the amount of mail handled in this department can be gained by considering the fact that Mr. Becker has bought as high as \$17,000.00 worth of stamps at one time."

"Secretary of State Becker's job is one of endless detail and responsibility, for, in addition to the auto department, he handles all of the contracts for printing and publishing all of the stationery and blanks, and all the annual reports, printing of the statutes, proceedings of the legislature, etc.; and in the basement of the Capitol are hundreds of thousands of books and pamphlets filed so systematically that has ever been printed can be produced at a moment's notice."

"All the paper used in printing these supplies is bought by the Secretary direct from the whole saler and then a separate contract is let to the printers and engravers for the work of printing and engraving and he has under his care several carloads of paper, envelopes and various printing materials."

"All of these items must be purchased by Secretary of State Becker and as the amounts involved are large, thousands of dollars can be saved the taxpayer in the purchase of a single item by judicious buying. One instance of conservative purchasing is seen in Secretary Becker's purchase of this year's license tags. His contract this year for tags was 15¢ cheaper than last, and as a result, \$60,000.00 was saved the taxpayers in their purchase, a sum which would pay the Secretary's salary for the next decade. This, however, is only one of the many items that have been purchased by the present Secretary with an eye to economy."

"In a recent trip to Jefferson City the editor had the pleasure of meeting Mr. Becker and spent several hours in going through the various departments of the Secretary of State. Mr. Becker is certainly a pleasant and most businesslike gentleman to meet and the people of the State have every reason to be proud and satisfied with his record during the brief time he has been in office."

### Indigestion and Constipation.

"Prior to using Chamberlain's Tablets, I suffered dreadfully from indigestion. Nothing I ate agreed with me and I lost flesh and ran down in health. Chamberlain's Tablets strengthened my digestion and cured me of constipation," writes Mrs. Geo. Stroup, Salway, N. Y.

### Home Circle Column

Charity at Home.  
No reward comes to him who robs himself of what he needs to sustain life and health, or what is needed to care for his own, merely to give to those who ask. No man has a right to give what is not fully his own; no right to give away any time that belongs to another, to create poverty in order to relieve poverty; to lose the respect of his home ones, or to do what will weaken their faith in him as a provider and a protector.

Man's duty is to God, and he discharges the duty when he is true to the family that is the result of his making and begetting. Men err by withholding when they have means to spare as well as not, and they err by giving heedlessly to the endless asking of those whose great aim in life is to attach themselves to those who are in sickness, in trouble and distress. If you can do so without robbing your creditors, yourself or your family. Be just, and then be generous. To give wisely is an art, to give well to give successfully. To provide employment is even humane and wise, but you should give it or find it to those who try to deserve such assistance, not to those who are lazy, dirty, shiftless, careless and in different to success. Let those who will not try to come up just a little higher, with your help, remain where they are, except you are able to give.

## Missouri Farms for Sale

80—Acre Farm Only \$1900  
Cows, Hens, Poultry and Cream separator, wagon, harness included; prosperity all around; handy city markets, all advantages; loamy tillage, easy to cultivate; spring—watered 20—cow pasture; estimated 1000 cords wood, 100,000 ft. saw timber; some fruit trees; nearly new house, oak shade; barn, poultry house. Other interests force sacrifice, \$1900 takes all \$1000 cash, easy terms on balance. Grand opportunity, ambitious man Act quickly. Catalog free  
James E. Hart.

No man has a right to walk deliberately into poverty in order to prove his manhood a disposition to humanity. This is not the way to help mankind; or to serve your country. When a man is stricken down, then help him if you can, but do not encourage him to fall again and to keep on falling simply to be helped. Do not be a miser, nor yet a spendthrift. Do not be selfish, but be careful to preserve your own health, means and ability to help those who will be with us tomorrow, as well as today.  
Peggy

### HOW'S THIS?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Medicine.  
Hall's Catarrh Medicine has been taken by catarrh sufferers for the past thirty-five years, and has become known as the most reliable remedy for catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Medicine acts thru the Blood on the Mucous surfaces, expelling the Poison from the Blood and healing the diseased portions.  
After you have taken Hall's Catarrh Medicine for a short time you will see a great improvement in your general health. Start taking Hall's Catarrh Medicine at once and get rid of catarrh. Send testimonials, free F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists, 75c Adv.

### Why The Editor left Town

Somebody sent the editor of the Peketown Gazette a few bottles of home brew. The same day he received for publication a wedding announcement and a notice of an auction sale. Here are the results:  
"Wm. Smith and Miss Lucy Anderson were disposed of at public auction at my farm one mile east of a beautiful cluster of roses on her breast and two white calves before a background of farm implements to numerous mention in the presence of about seventy guests, including two milk cows, six mules and one bobol. Rev. Jackson tied the nuptial knot with 200 feet of hay rope and the bridal couple left on the good John Deere gang plow for an extended trip with terms to suit purchaser. They will be at home to their friends with one good baby buggy and a few kitchen utensils after ten months from date of sale to responsible parties and some fifty chickens."

### Mail Order Houses Are Out For The Business.

A few days ago the Kansas City newspapers contained page advertisements announcing the fact that Montgomery Ward & Co. were going to open a retail store in Kansas City. While the mail order houses are sending out millions of catalogues and spending huge sums for news paper and magazine advertising, the county merchant is setting still complaining about hard times and the city stores and order houses are using more space in newspapers than ever before and are getting the business the county merchant ought to have and would get if he advertised continuously in the newspapers. (Howell Co. Gazette.)

### The Road to Happiness.

You must keep well if you wish to be happy. When constipated take one or two of Chamberlain's Tablets immediately after supper. They cause a gentle movement of the bowels.

## Leedys Leading Ladies Shop

We have reduced our  
Hemstitching rates  
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5cts for Cotton  
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### Redistriction Act Is Held Invalid

The state supreme court has held invalid the act which sought to redistrict the judicial circuits of the state and on which the Democrats took a referendum. The referendum which was to be voted on in November held up the act. The case reached the supreme court on a mandamus proceedings brought by Circuit Judge Drain of Shelbyville to compel the secretary of state to accept his declaration of candidacy from an old district and today's decision orders that the declaration be accepted.

### Notice of Annual Meeting of Stockholders.

Notice is hereby given that there will be an annual meeting of the stockholders of the Farmers and Merchants Bank of Mansfield, Mo. at 3:00 o'clock p. m., Saturday April 15th, 1922 at their banking house, for the purpose of electing five directors for the ensuing year, and to attend to such other business as may come before the meeting.  
J. D. Reynolds, President.  
J. E. Craig, Secretary.

### Fair Dates We Are Interested In.

Missouri State Fair, Sedalia, W. D. Smith Secretary, August 19-16.  
Wright County Agriculture and Stock Show of Mansfield, W. A. Black, Secretary, September 27-30.  
Springfield, Greene County, Ozark Stock Show, H. R. Nelson manager, October 2-7.

## \$525 IN PRIZES FOR THE BEST RHYMES

A new contest is just being started which will interest every woman and girl who reads this paper. Any woman or girl can enter this Contest—anyone can win! All it is necessary to do is to write a 4-line rhyme on Dr. Price's Phosphate Baking Powder, using only the words which appear either on the label of the Dr. Price can (front and back) or on the printed slip which is found in each Dr. Price can.  
Isn't that easy? Everyone likes to make rhymes and here is a chance to spend a fascinating hour or two writing rhymes on this popular Baking Powder and perhaps winning a substantial prize for your efforts.

### 50 CASH PRIZES

For the rhyme selected as best a prize of \$100 will be given for the second, third and fourth best rhymes prizes of \$75, \$50, and \$25, respectively will be given. And besides these prizes there will be 55 prizes of \$5 each for the next 55 best rhymes. With such a long list of prizes as these, it would be a pity not to try your hand at it!  
Here is a 4-line rhyme as an example:  
Two teaspoons of this powder make Biscuits, muffins, pie or cake, The Price's Co. guarantees No alum in the cans to be.  
As Dr. Price's Phosphate Baking Powder sells for only 25 cents a 12 oz. can at grocery stores, some rhymes could play up the remarkable economy of this pure and wholesome baking powder which contains no alum.

All rhymes must be received by May 1, 1922. Only words appearing either on the label of the Dr. Price can (front and back) or on the printed slip contained inside the can may be used. These words may be used as often as desired, but no other words will be allowed. If you haven't a can of Dr. Price's, a copy of the label and the printed slip will be sent to you free upon request.

Any woman or girl may enter the Contest, but only one rhyme from each person will be considered. In case of ties, the full amount of the prize will be given to each tying contestant. Write plainly on only one side of a sheet of paper and be sure to give your name and address.  
Send your rhyme before May 1st to Price Baking Powder Factory 1007 Independence Blvd., Chicago, Ill.

## ROUTE 2.

Mabel (at the picnic) "Oh there's an ant in my coffee! Will it hurt it?"  
Jack: "Hurt it? My gosh, woman, it'll kill it!"  
Ira Stout and Robert Handcock dined at Harley Stout's Friday, and went to J. E. Stout's that P. M.

Rev. A. S. Humphrey was a Saturday night visitor at Harry Thomas' On Sunday they all dined J. W. at Brentlinger's.

Mrs. Leo Dorrell is sick; Mrs. Harley Stout called there Thursday.

Alva Letsinger visited his grandparis, J. W. Edwards and wife Friday.

Mrs. J. W. Brentlinger called on Mrs. D. W. Hoover Saturday afternoon.

Alva Letsinger dined at J. W. Edwards Monday.

Bill Hale and family have moved to Wichita Kas. and Harley Stout has rented his place.

J. W. Brentlinger and wife, Miss Belfurne Bakes and Frank White were supper guests at Mrs. Sarah Rippee's Saturday evening.

John Livingston and family were Sunday visitors at Harley Stout's.

Ben Freeman and family spent Sunday at Dave Crider's.

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Those spending Sunday at Sam Letsinger's were: Link Letsinger and family, Orval and Miss Cora Quesenberry and Minnie Dethridge.

M. H. Barlow and son Frank are tending Amos Roy's farm this year.

Three Willis boys from near Macomb, and Misses Edna and Elsie Crider were Sunday visitors at Milton Fullington's.

Floyd Hale and family visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. McIntosh Sunday.

Ace Tarbutton's are moving this week, and J. D. Avery and family intend to move on the farm.

Jay Dennie and family have returned from Kans. and will make their home here. They will live in the house they formerly occupied, and which Dave Crider and family are now living in SUKEY.

### HERE AND THERE

Well we sure do have lots of rain and some wind to.

Rev. C. N. Findley visited their son Charley and wife one day last week.

Clarence Barnett and wife visited at his folks Sunday.  
E. Short called at Oscar Moody's Sunday afternoon.

Pete Brazel left for California last Monday, he expects to send for his wife and baby soon.

Miss Ethel Findley visited her sister's Mrs. Moody and Mrs. Barnett Wednesday and Thursday.

We are glad to know that Mrs. Alfred Moody is getting better.

### The Thrice-a-week Edition Of the New York World

In 1922 and 1923 Practically a Daily at the Price of a Weekly. No other Newspaper in the world gives so much at so low a price.  
The whole world is being made over and the United States is taking the lead in the world. This year, particular, history will be made, and every American citizen will be deeply interested. No other newspaper will be better equipped to give the news of the world at the time it is news than The New York World.

The Thrice a week edition of The world is the greatest example of comprehensive journalism in America. It will keep you as thoroughly as a daily, which would cost five or six times as much. It is a unique newspaper, published three times a week for \$1 a year. This is the regular subscription price and it pays for 156 newspapers.

We offer this unequalled newspaper and The Mansfield Mirror together for one year for \$2.25. The regular subscription price of the two papers is \$2.50.

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